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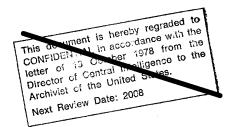
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SUPPLEMENT

- The recently appointed Lebor Attache to the Argentine Legation in Bogota, Pedro R. Otero, is reported to be in contact with the Union de Trabejadores de Colombia (UTC) -- directed by the Jesuits, for the purpose of forming a strong labor bloc opposed to Leftist organizations.
- Otero allegedly also visited the Confederacion de Trabajadores de Colombia (CTC) on 20 October 1947 to discuss labor syndicate problems throughout Latin America. The latter organization has had Otero under surveillance since his arrival in Bogota, since it is felt that he is an agent of the American Federation of Labor.

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